

Amendment to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 11, line 22 of the specification with the following amended paragraph:

“The invention may be described by reference to program modules for performing tasks or implementing abstract data types, e.g., procedures, functions, data structures, application programs, etc., that may be stored in memory 506 and/or storage devices 508 and associated storage media, e.g., hard-drives, floppy-disks, optical storage, magnetic cassettes, tapes, flash memory cards, memory sticks, digital video disks[[,]] ~~and biological storage, as well as transmission environments such as network 522 over which program modules may be delivered in the form of packets, serial data, parallel data, or other transmission format.~~”